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## DIRECTOR OF CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE Security Committee

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	NOTE FOR:	Chairman, SECOM						
STATINTL	FROM:	Executive Secretar	у					
	SUBJECT:		be Raised with Security Subcommittee at July 1980 Meeting in Your Office	STATINT ce				
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	For Discussion:							
	4. DCID $1/16$ was premised on tenets that computer state of the art offered small protection. Thus 3 types of security criteria was imposed in $1/16$ .							
		Dedicated Mode	the computer and people are a cleared and dedicated to the task at hand.	11				
		Compartmented Mode	Uncleared people and material are removed from room while So is processed.	CI				
		System High	Everybody is cleared for the highest level material stored in the data bank.					

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5. The Community seems to have elected "System High" as the way to go. Like the mandate that anyone near a gray/green phone be given an SI clearance, the "System High" approach forces a proliferation of access approvals. "System High" was designed to handle the possibility of a spill or dump of sensitive material to those who don't have need for it normally. The thinking was that a spill in a population cleared to 1/14 level was not as bad as a spill someplace in a random population.

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	Questions
Q.	In 1980 are there hardware and software improvements in computer security to the degree that lockouts can keep uncleared people away from material they shouldn't have?
	This becomes important as computer networking expands.  25X1A
Q.	What advice can the Subcommittee offer on how to handle the SI-TK material now in data banks becomes the only system?
Q.	What are the big threats to computer security? And what does the Subcommittee propose to do about them?
Q.	Does the Subcommittee have adequate association with other computer elements to keep abreast of improvements? And government policy?
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